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YMCA Camp Trip Date Draws Near

There are still a few reservations available for the Torrance YMCA Round Meadow camping trip, leaving here July 22, according to A. C. Turner, Camp Committee Chairman of the Torrance YMCA.

Turner has urged parents of boys between the ages of 9 and 14, to arrange reservations early. Final date for registering is July 18th. However, they will be accepted as late as July 21st, if the boys have physical examinations made by a private physician, he pointed out.

The party leaves here on July 22, and returns July 29. Bus transportation will be provided.

Describing the camp as a "wonderful site located in the Barton Flats area of the San Bernardino mountains," he said the "Y" staff has planned a complete, interesting program for boys, 9-14.

"We have space for 130 boys at this modern camp, and for eight days there will be all kinds of adventure that youngsters like," he said.

The program will include horseback riding, hiking, and exploring, swimming, interesting campfire programs, regular church services and handicraft projects, the youth worker said.

He added that the youngsters will be housed in Adirondack cabins and there are excellent mess-hall and handicraft facilities.

According to Turner, the program, which stresses group experience, is one of the best ways to teach youngsters the principles of fair play and how to get along with their fellow men.

Adult leadership for the campers will be furnished by local young men who give spare time to Y.M.C.A. work and by permanent personnel at the camp.

A few reservations for the trip are still available at the Y.M.C.A., 2080 Washington Ave., Tor. 1563.

Paint Store Plans Move to New Location

Ground was broken yesterday on the new National Paint and Wallpaper Co. store, to be located directly across from the Post Office on Marcelina Ave., according to Mrs. Frank Pagac, co-owner with her husband of the business.

Presently located at 1405 1/2 Sartori Ave., the business will move into the new quarters within a few months, it was disclosed.

The modern store will feature a full line of nationally known paints and painting equipment, as well as a complete line of beautiful wallpapers, including many imports, Mrs. Pagac said.

The custom color mixing and interior decorating services of the store will be expanded, she said.

Youth Rams Car

David A. Christensen, 17, of 1650 214th St., was treated for minor lacerations at Harbor General Hospital this week, after he rammed into a parked car while adjusting his rear view mirror.

The parked car belongs to Glen Hanson, 1727 235th St., Torrance Police Dept. records show.

Tract Map OK Delayed

Tract Maps for 172 lots by the January Company were held up by the Planning Commission last week pending a meeting with the City Council and City Manager George Stevens for further study.

The subdivision is slated for the southeast corner of Pacific Coast Highway and Crenshaw Blvd.

Blast Shakes Torrance Area

Blasting at the Chandler Dirt Pit in Lomita apparently created noise and shock waves felt over a wide area here about 10:30 Tuesday morning.

Residents of Lomita, Harbor City, Welteria, Torrance and Palos Verdes reported hearing a loud boom followed by shocks which rattled windows in some areas. The freakish effects evidently skipped some locations near the pit but jarred others farther away.

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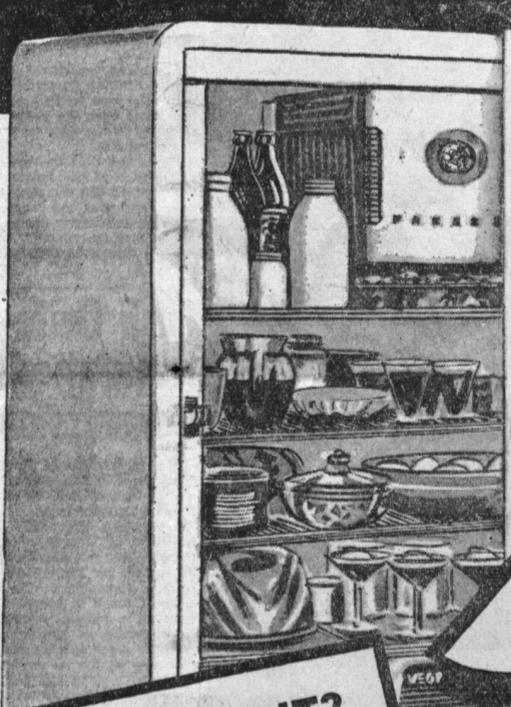
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